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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT:

Conversation Between Undersigned and ERS Concerning Proposed Future Representation of Technical Assistance Program in SSRG

- 1. I suggested by telephone to Childs, ERS that he and Howard Penniman may wish to look into the question of the transfer of functions from FOA to the proposed International Cooperation Administration in the State Department. I understand that an executive order will be out in a few days making such a transfer. Penniman and Childs, I suggested, should consider the feasibility of a memorandum from the Department to this office advising that the former separate representation of FOA on the SSRG would, after the transfer of functions mentioned above, be covered by the present State representation on SSRG.
- 2. Childs thought this appropriate and said he would take it up with Penniman.

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